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Councilman Rod Tam
Zoning Committee Chair
530 S. King Street, Room 202
Honolulu, HI 96813

Subject: Kaloi Gulch Drainage Improvements at Oneula Beach Park
Shoreline Management Area/Shoreline Setback Variance File
No: 2006/SMA-54
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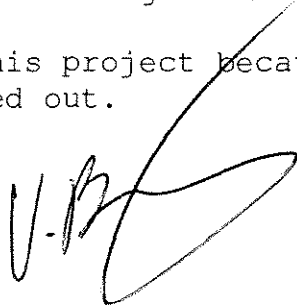
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I support this project because it will help prevent homes from being flooded out.

Sincerely,



Ken Lau

Petition No. 16

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City Council Zoning Committee
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Re: SMP/SSV & Rezoning for Kaloi Gulch Drainage Improvements

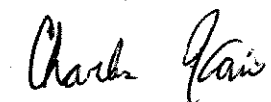
Dear Committee Chair Tam,

I humbly ask you and the zoning committee members to approve the Kaloi Gulch Drainage Improvements Project proposed by Haseko.

As anyone who has lived on Oahu for more than a few years knows, inadequate drainage leads to flooding whenever it rains hard. I don't think anyone wants another Ewa Villages disaster. And with all those homes now planned for mauka of the villages, I was very concerned about an even bigger problem should another big storm occur. That's why I was relieved when I heard Haseko is trying to implement a drainage solution for the region.

Don't wait for another storm of biblical proportions to cause devastating floods. Approve their plans now!

Mahalo,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Charles Kain".

Councilman Rod Tam
Zoning Committee Chair
530 S. King Street, Room 202
Honolulu, HI 96813

RE: Kaloi Gulch Drainage Improvements at Oneula Beach Park
Shoreline Management Area/Shoreline Setback Variance and Partial Rezoning

Dear Councilman Tam,

I'm writing to show my support for the Kaloi regional drainage improvements project at the beach park.

I'm glad the City is using the golf courses for drainage instead of a concrete canal like what you see up and down the Leeward coast.

The Ewa Plain used to be covered with sugar cane fields so when it rained, the fields would flood and not hurt anyone. But times change and those fields are gone. Houses are built on the former farm lands, and still thousands more are planned. Yet the water has to go somewhere. That "somewhere" needs to be away from people's homes.

This project will help protect people from devastating floods and that's why I hope you will approve the project.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Linda A. Lee", written in a cursive style.

The Honorable Rod Tam, Zoning Committee Chair
And Members of the Zoning Committee
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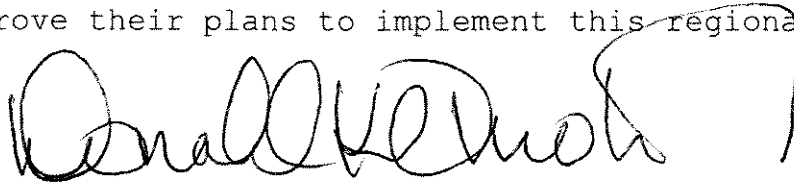
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As a taxpayer, I appreciate Haseko's willingness to be responsible for the funding and construction of the proposed regional drainage channel, at no cost to State or City governments. They are a positive and contributing community member, and always respond to community concerns.

Please approve their plans to implement this regional drainage solution.

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City Councilman Rod Tam, Chair
Honolulu City Council Zoning Committee
Honolulu Hale
530 S. King Street, Room 202
Honolulu, HI 96813

Re: SMP/SSV & Rezoning for Kaloi Gulch Drainage Improvements


Dear Committee Chair Tam,

I am writing to ask for your support of the Kaloi Gulch regional drainage improvement project.

I understand that it will widen the City's existing emergency drainage channel thru Oneula Beach Park, and use golf courses and open space to filter runoff from the region before it enters the ocean. I like that design much better than the concrete channels I see elsewhere around the island. Haseko's plan seems to be much more environmentally-friendly.

That's why I support their efforts to implement this regional drainage solution.

Mahalo,

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Councilman Rod Tam
City Council Zoning Committee
530 S. King Street, Room 202
Honolulu, HI 96813


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Aloha Committee Chair Tam and Zoning Committee Members,

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This project improves Oneula Beach Park, protects homes, and costs us taxpayers nothing. Haseko is willing to accept responsibility for funding and construction of this project. Please let them give back to our community by approving the applications needed to implement this project.

Mahalo,


Eliza Aguilera

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City Council Zoning Committee
530 S. King Street, Room 202
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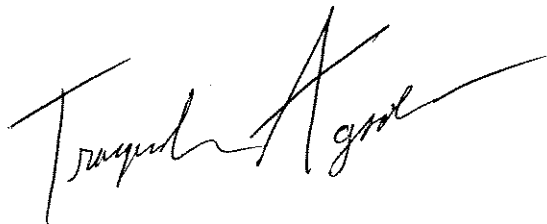
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Zoning Committee Chairman
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Honolulu, HI 96813**

RE: Kaloi Gulch Regional Drainage

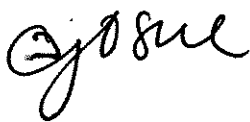
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Protecting life and property should be the most important thing to consider.

Please approve this regional drainage solution.

Mahalo,

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Councilman Rod Tam
Zoning Committee Chair
530 S. King Street, Room 202
Honolulu, HI 96813

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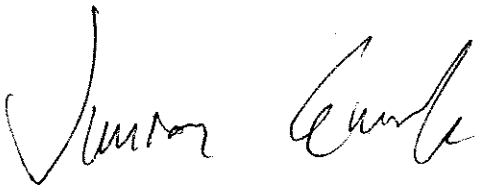
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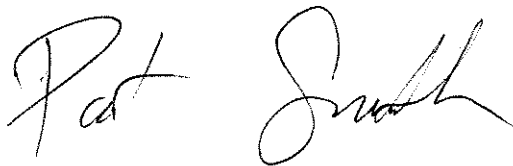
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The Honorable Rod Tam, Zoning Committee Chair
And Members of the Zoning Committee
530 S. King Street, Room 202
Honolulu, HI 96813

Re: Kaloi Gulch Drainage Improvements at Oneula Beach Park

Dear Chair Tam and Zoning Committee Members,

This proposed project will benefit people who live, work or play in the whole Kaloi Region. The implementation of this project will offer flood protection for everyone in the community. Haseko is willing to be responsible for the costs and construction of this project. That means protection for everyone, at no cost to taxpayers.

The proposed drainage system uses golf courses and open space to cleanse stormwater of sediments. Since it rarely rains in Ewa that grass-lined outlet will be the vast majority of the time. A dry grass-lined outlet means that there will be another park for users of Oneula Beach Park. These improvements will beautify the park, and make it more usable.

Please help improve our park and protect our community. Give your approval of both the SMP/SSV and partial rezoning needed to improve our regional drainage.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Robert Lefler". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned to the right of the word "Sincerely,".

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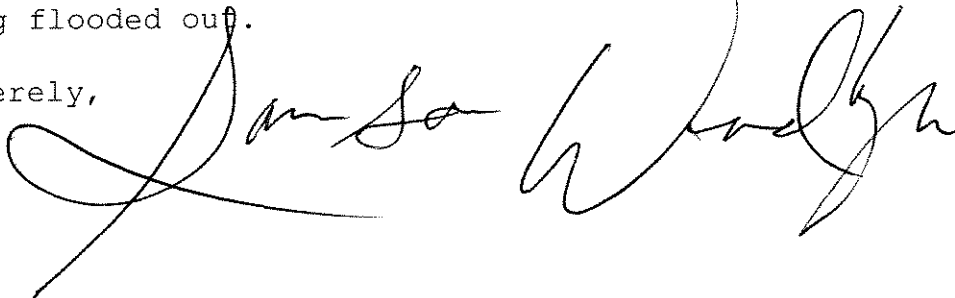
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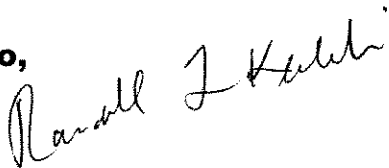
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Please approve this regional drainage solution.

Mahalo,

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Honolulu Hale
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Re: Kaloi Gulch Drainage Improvements

Aloha Chair Tam,

Please approve the Kaloi Gulch Drainage Improvements Project proposed by Haseko.

Me and my neighbors have seen firsthand how important drainage is – who can forget seeing our neighborhood's flooded streets on the news during the 40 days of rain last year? I don't want to even think about how much worse it will get if all those homes I've been reading about in the newspaper are allowed to be built without the necessary infrastructure.

That's why I urge you to approve both the SMP/SSV and partial rezoning needed to accommodate and implement this regional drainage solution.

Mahalo,

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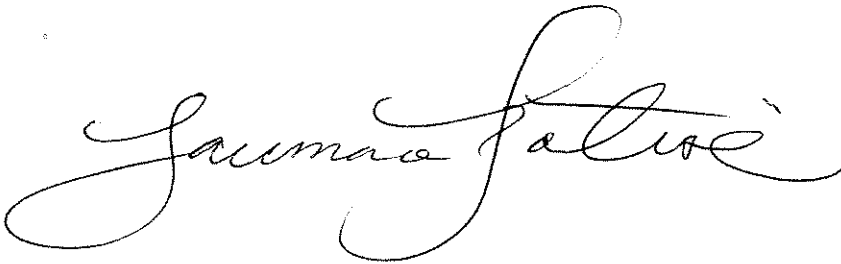
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Back in 1996, Ewa Villages experienced the consequences of having no drainage system to protect their homes. Their homes flooded because there was no drainage system planned in the event of a heavy storm. We need to have a regional drainage system to help protect homes and lives before a heavy storm hits.

This proposed project involves widening an existing emergency channel at Oneula Beach Park to help protect the Ewa Beach Community. There is no danger of flash flood for those at the park. All the golf courses within the region have to overflow before any water would ever make it to the grass-lined outlet.

There is no danger to the Ewa Community if this project is approved and implemented. There is a danger if it is not approved. We should plan ahead. Protect homes and lives from flooding by giving your approval for this project.

Mahalo,

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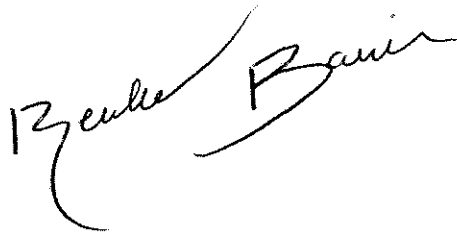
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JAMES MALONE

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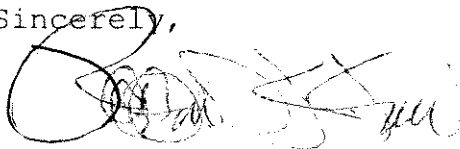
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